

CAPT. LANE GOING NORTH TO MEET STEFANSSON

Explorer of Experience to Leave
Seattle for Arctic Ocean
About June 1.

SEATTLE, April 19.—Capt. Louis L. Lane, an Arctic navigator of long experience, announced here today that he will leave Seattle for the Arctic ocean about June 1 in a 300-ton power schooner now being built here, and expects to return to Nome or Seattle next autumn with Vilhjalmur Stefansson and the other members of the Canadian government exploring expedition that sailed from Victoria, B. C., for the Arctic ocean June 17, 1913. Capt. Lane plans to be at Banks Land, in the Polar sea, about August 5, and to meet Stefansson there.

Capt. Lane is going north, not under contract with the Canadian government, but under a verbal agreement with Stefansson. Lane's new power boat, which probably will be named the Great Bear, will be of wooden construction, and the strongest ice-resisting vessel ever built on Puget sound. Lane will take with him gasoline and other supplies for the Stefansson fleet.

Stefansson has asked the Canadian government to permit his parties to continue their work a year longer, but it is believed that on account of war conditions the explorers will be ordered home.

Outlines His Program.

Unless ice movements are unfavorable, Capt. Lane will call first at Herschel Island, where he may receive word from Stefansson. If he does not get instructions, he will proceed north to Banks Land, making stops at points agreed upon last year, where Stefansson may have letters or men waiting for him. It may be that the explorers will choose to return to Nome in their own boats, the power schooners Polar Bear, Alaska, Mary Sachs and North Star, but the vessels probably will be out of repair and unable to make the quick voyage that will be necessary to elude the treacherous ice, which closes upon the coast rapidly in early autumn. If all goes well, the explorers should arrive in Nome soon after the middle of September.

Two Parties Formed.

The Stefansson expedition from the beginning was divided into two parties. The northern, under Stefansson, planned to seek new land in the Beaufort sea, and succeeded, notwithstanding the loss of the principal boat, the whaler Karluk, which was crushed in the ice the first winter out. The southern party, under Capt. Lane, planned to make a geological survey of the islands and mainland at the mouth of the great river, making special search for copper and coal.

A Dispatch from Christiania, Norway.

Announces that Capt. Roald Amundsen, discoverer of the north-west passage and the south pole, plans to set out on a north pole expedition in the spring of 1917, by way of Bering strait. Amundsen intended to leave San Francisco several years ago, sail from Bering strait to the north pole and return between Spitzbergen and Greenland, but abandoned his voyage because of lack of funds.

SUNDAY GIVES REASONS FOR INCARNATION BELIEF

Evangelist Foreshadows the Wind-Up of His Baltimore Campaign in Sermon.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

BALTIMORE, April 19.—A multitude that packed to the limit the Billy Sunday Tabernacle last night heard the evangelist deliver one of his strongest sermons, a defense of the incarnation, the miracles and the Bible itself, that was in the nature of a summary of all those he had delivered before in the campaign, presenting arguments to uphold the tenets of Christianity. His theme was "The Incarnation of Christ," which, he said, embodied "a revelation, a mystery and a prophecy." His text was: "And the Word Became Flesh and Dwelt Among Us" (John, 1:14).

Tells Why He Believes.

In taking up his big subject of the incarnation, Sunday approached it not as a critic, but as one who, believing himself the word, strove to aid others to see the reasons why he had accepted as irrefutable the Bible's statements. He referred again and again to the many doctrines that had been promulgated, under and outside the guise of Christianity, to modify the word, and declared that all these were failures and born of hell. He flattered the Unitarians, the Universalists and the Christian Scientists. The first, he said, were of those who crucified Christ, denying His divinity; the second preached the false doctrine of salvation for all, seeking to overthrow God's plan of salvation through acceptance of Christ's atonement; the third, he held up to scorn as being only "3 per cent Christianity."

30,000 Attend Both Services.

Thirty thousand people attended the afternoon and evening services at the Billy Sunday Tabernacle yesterday, bringing the total attendance to 1,157,200. At both services the evangelist referred to the fact that he was entering upon the eighth and last week of the campaign and prayed for a great awakening in Baltimore. Two hundred and forty-four persons hit the trail, of which number 190 constituted the evening converts. This brought the total to 18,852. Eugene Levering, the campaign treasurer, announced that all of the money needed for the campaign expenses—approximately \$45,000—had been contributed, and that in addition \$6,200 had been collected in the Tabernacle offerings for local charities.

SUBWAY STRIKE ENDS.

Twelve Thousand Workmen in New York Will Get Increase in Wages.

NEW YORK, April 19.—The strike of 12,000 workmen which has delayed for two weeks the construction of the new \$200,000,000 subway system was ended yesterday when an agreement was signed by the contractors and the employees' unions' representatives at the offices of the public service commission. An increase in wages of 25 cents a day to laborers was granted by the agreement, which also provides that there shall be no discrimination against non-union men.

\$300,000 Fire at Elliott City.

BALTIMORE, Md., April 19.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the grain elevator of the C. A. Gambrill Manufacturing Company, Elliott City, near here, today, together with 15,000 bushels of wheat. The loss was estimated at \$300,000.

ONLY NEW METHOD CAN HALT CRUDE OIL WASTE

Bureau of Mines Gasoline Report
Points to Danger of Exhaustion
in Twenty-Seven Years.

Little hope for a reduction in gasoline prices is seen by experts of the bureau of mines, which issued a statement today declaring that at the present rate of production the country's supply of crude oil would be exhausted in twenty-seven years. Relief can come, the statement says, only through development of processes for obtaining a larger quantity of gasoline from crude oil.

No Immediate Drop.

Van H. Manning, director of the bureau, pointed out today that oil companies competing to supply the government with gasoline had quoted a price of 31½ cents, and said private consumers probably would have to pay more. The fact that the government quotation was so high, he declared, showed that no immediate drop was to be expected.

Indications forecast a decreased production of gasoline from crude oil for 1916. The daily production of crude oil for February in the mid-continent field, which produces 75 per cent of our refinable oil, was 40,000 barrels less than the average for 1915. "We are exporting 20 per cent of our output of crude oil and 16 per cent of our gasoline. We are burning 25 per cent of our petroleum under boilers, which is a criminal waste, and we are using another 20 per cent in the manufacture of gas. This gas should be made from coal."

Hope in Rittman Process.

"If by means of the Rittman process our kerosene and fuel oils, which we have been using in competition with coal and selling for less than the cost of production, can be converted into gasoline, the present production of crude petroleum would be more than ample to supply our present demands for gasoline. General adoption of these processes would extend the life of our petroleum deposits, based on present demands, from 27 to 100 years, at the same time reducing the cost of gasoline to the consumer."

Closes Rockefeller Ice Plant.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., April 19.—John D. Rockefeller after spending \$20,000 for a model ice plant with the idea of

supplying all his needs has decided to quit business. It is rumored about Pocatello Hills that the high cost of gasoline to run his engine hastened the closing of the plant producing 1,000 pounds of ice a day, which can be bought in the market for about \$5. It cost Mr. Rockefeller in addition to the price of gasoline the services of a night and day man and the expense of maintenance. He estimates that he was paying about four times more for ice than he would have to pay in the open market. As this is not according to his business ethics he gave orders to close the plant.

WINS LOUISIANA ELECTION.

Ruffin G. Pleasant Far Ahead in Race for Governorship.

NEW ORLEANS, April 19.—Returns from yesterday's state election complete from the city of New Orleans, but incomplete from the country parishes outside of Orleans, early today gave Ruffin G. Pleasant of Shreveport, "regular" democratic candidate for governor, a majority of 22,626 over John M. Parker of New Orleans, independent Democrat.

In the contest for lieutenant governor incomplete city and country returns gave Fernand Mouton, "regular" democrat, a majority of 15,390 over Edwin S. Broussard, independent Democrat. The democrats had opposition for only those two offices.

TO AID TRADE DEVELOPMENT.

Mercantile Bank of Americas Will Increase Capital to \$1,000,000.

NEW YORK, April 19.—For development of the trade of the United States with foreign countries, particularly with South and Central America, the Mercantile Bank of the Americas, it is announced, will increase its capital from \$400,000 to \$1,000,000, and its paid in surplus from \$100,000 to \$250,000. The bank, it was stated, will begin business at once in many cities in South and Central America. It also has made arrangements to enter Costa Rica, where no American bank exists. The object of the bank is to transact business direct with the coffee planters and with other producers, financing their crops and aiding in marketing them.

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Easter in the Toy Store

Will Be a Delight to Any Child. All of Whom Consider It the Great Springtime Christmas. We Have Everything for the Little Folks.

Easter Baskets in various colors, with chicks or rabbits, 5c and 10c each. Moss for filling baskets, 5c package.

Easter Toys at 5c.

Ducks, with movable heads. Chicks, all colors. Roosters. Blow-outs. The Chick Family. Fancy Boats. Rabbits.

Easter Toys at 10c.

Chicken Houses. Boats. Chicken Rattles. Roosters. Ducks. Birds.

Easter Toys at 15c.

Flying Machines. Boats. Chicken Houses. Peter Rabbit Books. Henny Penny Books.

Easter Toys at 25c.

Baby Bun and Bunny Book. Peter Rabbit Puzzles. Rabbits to be filled. Filled Rabbits. Chicken Coops. Birds. Wood-Chicks on wheels. Wood Ducks on wheels. Roly Poly Rabbits. Roly Poly Books.

Other Easter Toys from 50c to \$2.50 Each.

Easter Kewpie Dolls.

Dressed in accordance with the Season. 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Fourth floor, E street.

The Martha Washington Sewing Table.

Solid Mahogany Throughout,
Genuine Cowan Make.
The Price, \$12.00.

This table is exactly as illustrated—handsome, practical and not matched by any other make in quality or excellence.

No woman's boudoir or living apartment is complete without this piece of Colonial Furniture, which was so highly prized by Martha Washington, and the original of which is on exhibition at Mount Washington.

We have just received a new shipment and suggest it as wedding or anniversary gifts—very low priced at \$12.00. Sixth floor, G street.

Easter Candies of Purity and Delicious Flavor.

The kiddies will want Easter Candy Eggs, Rabbits and other novelties to decorate their baskets and to eat on Easter day and for the Easter frolic and picnic. The Candy Department has a most attractive showing in dainty shapes and colors—qualities that are pure, wholesome and toothsome.

Prices range from 5c to 50c each.

Large and Small Chocolate Rabbits, Fancy Iced Chocolate Eggs, in large, medium and small sizes; New Chocolate Easter Greetings in a specially attractive showing. New Milk Chocolate-coated Easter Eggs filled with a nut and conserved fruit cream, 25c and 50c each. Thick chocolate-shell Surprise Eggs, wrapped in tinsel paper and tied with colored ribbons and flowers, 15c, 25c and 50c each. Chocolate and Fancy Colored Marshmallow Eggs, 12c each. Easter Baskets, filled with chocolate cream eggs, 15c each, 2 for 25c. Crates of Chocolate Cream Eggs, wrapped in silver tinsel paper; 6 eggs to crate, 10c and 25c crate. Small Assorted Jelly Eggs, 2 pounds for 25c. Small Assorted Butter Eggs, in bulk, 25c pound. Small Assorted Butter Eggs, in unique chicken-coop shaped crates; 10c crate. Hard Candies are very desirable for Easter festivities and for all table uses; the variety consists of daintily flavored and colored chips, curls and puffs, 40c pound. Austrian Hard Candies in an extensive assortment, 65c pound. Chocolates and Bonbons in our large assortment, well known for quality; 40c and 60c pound. Table Favors for Easter; a large variety combined with a high-grade milk chocolate; 10c each. Fifth floor, Tenth street.

Mothproof Bags.

Now is the time to put away heavy blankets, wearing apparel, etc., and secure it against moths during the warm weather.

The items in the following list not only will keep moths away, but will greatly aid in conserving closet and chest space.

Wayne Cedar Mothproof Bags, in various sizes, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 each. Manahan's Tarine Sheets, size 40x48 inches, 5c each; 50c dozen. Manahan's Tarine Mothproof Bags, in various sizes, 50c and 65c each.

A complete assortment of Moth Preventives, including Moth Balls, Naphthaline Flakes and other worthy preparations. Fifth floor, Eleventh street.

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Exquisite Diamond Jewelry.
Diamond Onyx Pendants.
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Diamond and Sapphire Circle Brooches.
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Diamond and Emerald Rings.
Diamond and Sapphire Brooches.
Diamond and Platinum Brooches.
Diamond and Sapphire Bar Pins.
Diamond and Onyx Bar Pins.

Women's Gold Jewelry.

Bar Pins, \$2.00 to \$25.00.
Brooches, \$2.00 to \$50.00.
Circle Brooches, \$2.00 to \$35.00.
Lingerie Clasp, \$2.00 to \$6.00.
Lockets, \$5.00 to \$10.00.
Loggions, \$10.00 to \$25.00.
Bracelets, \$2.75 to \$37.50.
Neck Chains, \$2.00 to \$10.00.
Lavalliers, \$2.50 to \$25.00.
Gold Bead Necklaces, \$5.00 to \$25.00.
Pendants, \$7.50 to \$12.50.
Ribbon Sautoirs or Guards, \$4.00 to \$7.50.
Hat Pins, \$1.00 to \$3.50.

Men's and Boys' Jewelry.

Scarf Pins, \$2.00 to \$50.00.
Cuff Links, \$2.00 to \$40.00.
The Clasp, \$2.00 to \$7.50.
Coat Chains, \$2.00 to \$25.00.
Waldemar Vest Chains, \$5.00 to \$12.00.
Watch Fobs, \$4.50 to \$25.00.
Gold Pocket Knives, \$5.00 to \$18.00.
Gold Belts, \$10.00 to \$18.00.
Cigar Cutters, \$5.00 to \$25.00.

Watch Bracelets.

A showing of Watch Bracelets that includes all the various artistic styles and shapes, and with movements that are excellent in every detail for time-keeping qualities and suitability to the case in which they are found.

Men's Watches.

New styles in Men's Thin-model Watches of the best American and Swiss movements. Special attention is called to the new Thin Model Opera and Colonial Watches. Price is regulated by the cases and the attractive collection of movements and jewels.

Waltham, Howard, Elgin and Swiss Watches, priced from \$10.00 to \$125.00. Main floor, F street.

Your Boy Will Be Attired Right for Easter If He Gets His Clothes Here.

Woodward & Lothrop Spring Suits, Reefers, Shirts, Blouses, Hats, Caps and other wearables for boys are here to the satisfaction of all who have seen them. There is much that is new, and patterns, colorings and styles are very high grade. There is no limit to the goodness of the whole collection of boys' things, except that limit which must be set up to exclude undesirable qualities that have no place here.

The Fine Blue Serge Suits

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Third floor, Eleventh street.

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A better Trunk than you are likely to find in the average place for the price of this one—\$35.00. In our judgment it is one of the best trunks ever offered. It is made of three-ply basswood, and arranged for convenience and strength; covered with heavy vulcanized fiber.

These Trunks have the new safe-lock device and wrinkle-proof clothes retainer, and will hold many suits, coats or gowns. Each has five drawers that will be handy for carrying the many dress accessories, and a large hat box; laundry bag and shoe pockets; the entire trunk is lined. Price, \$35.00.

Fourth floor, center.

Flower Dish Special For Easter, 95c.

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